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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 22, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.